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PARTS OF AN APPLICATION**

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

Re: Inventor: Laura M. ZANIBELLI, et al.
Serial No: 09/539,877
Filed: March 31, 2000
For: CATALYTIC COMPOSITION FOR THE UPGRADING OF
HYDROCARBONS HAVING BOILING POINTS WITHIN THE
NAPHTHA RANGE

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION (RETURN COPY); FILING OF
DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(f); DECLARATION, POWER OF ATTORNEY AND
PETITION (4 PAGES, EXECUTED); REQUEST FOR PRIORITY; FILING OF ENGLISH
TRANSLATION OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT; PRIORITY DOCUMENT; ENGLISH
TRANSLATION OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT**

Our check in the amount of \$00.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event that any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 CFR 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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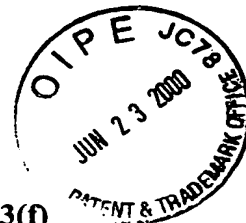
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FILING OF DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(f)

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SIR:

Responsive to the notification dated June 14, 2000, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(f), Applicants submit herewith a Rule 63 Declaration. The required fee was paid at the time of filing the application.

The Declaration enclosed herewith contains the Title of the Invention and Inventor(s) name(s) and is believed, in combination with the attorney statement set forth below, to adequately identify the above-identified application in accordance with 37 CFR 1.63, as set forth in MPEP Section 601.01.

The undersigned hereby states that the specification filed on March 31, 2000, is in fact the application which the Inventor(s) executed by signing the enclosed Declaration.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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